SUPREME COURT OF ILLINOIS

COURT CONVENED AT 9:30 A.M., MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2008

THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS WERE PRESENTED AND ORDERS WERE ENTERED AS INDICATED:

ADVISEMENT DOCKET

No. 106337 - People State of Illinois, respondent, v. Terah Grimes, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner for leave to file a motion for reconsideration of the order denying petition for leave to appeal.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET

No. 104443 - People State of Illinois, appellee, v. Laurence E. Lovejoy, appellant.

Motion by appellant, pro se, for substitution of counsel for cause. Motion denied.

Order entered by Justice Thomas.

No. 105075 - People State of Illinois, appellee, v. Lavar Bridgewater, appellant.

Motion by appellant for leave to file supplemental reply brief instanter. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Kilbride.

No. 105453 - People State of Illinois, appellant, v. Paul Williams, appellee.

Motion by appellee for an extension of time for filing brief to and including September 24, 2008. Motion <u>allowed</u>.

Order entered by Justice Burke.

CIVIL DOCKET

Nos.105741 - Abigaile Lebron, a Minor, etc., et al., appellees, 105745 v. Gottlieb Memorial Hospital, etc., et al., cons. appellants.

Motion by the Illinois Trial Lawyers' Association for leave to file brief as amicus curiae instanter.

Motion by Illinois American Federation of Labor-Congress of Industrial Organizations and Chicago Federation of Labor for leave to file brief as amici curiae in support of appellees instanter.

Motion by Chicago Bar Association and Illinois State Bar Association for leave to file brief as amici curiae in support of appellees instanter.

Motion by Professors Neil Vidmar, Tom Baker, Ralph L. Brill, Martha Chamallas, Stephen Daniels, Thomas A. Eaton, Theodore Eisenberg, Neal Feigenson, Lucinda M. Finley, Marc Galanter, Valerie P. Hans, Michael Heise, Edward J. Kionka, Thomas H. Koenig, Herbert M. Kritzer, David I. Levine, Nancy S. Marder, Joanne Martin, Frank M. McClellan, Deborah Jones Merritt, Philip G. Peters, Jr., James T. Richardson, Charles Silver, and Richard W. Wright for leave to file brief as amici curiae in support of appellees instanter.

Motion by the American Bar Association for leave to file brief as amicus curiae in support of appellees instanter.

Motion by the American Bar Association for leave to admit H. Thomas Wells, Jr. pro hac vice as counsel of record.

Motion by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and the Cook County Bar Association for leave to file brief as amici curiae in support of appellees instanter.

Motion by the Women's Bar Association of Illinois for leave to file brief as amicus curiae in support of appellees instanter.

Motion by Citizen Action/Illinois and Illinois Alliance for Retired Americans for leave to file brief as amici curiae in support of appellees instanter.

Nos.105912 - Daniel Ioerger et al., etc., appellees, v. 105917 Halverson Construction Co., Inc., etc., et al., Cons. appellants.

Renewed motion by appellant Midwest Foundation/Halverson Construction Company, Inc. for a supervisory order.

No. 106505 - Richard Santos, et al., etc., respondents, v.

Garfoot Trucking Inc., etc., et al., (Knight E/A,
Inc., etc., movant).

Motion by movant to transfer case No. 05 L 3393, Santos v. Garfoot Trucking, Inc., from Cook County to Kane County, and to consolidate it with Kane County case No. 07 LK 645, Santos v. Illinois State Toll Highway Authority.

No. 107057 - Charles Sulton, Jr., movant, v. Hon. Nancy J.
Arnold, Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County,
et al., respondents.

Motion by movant, pro se, for a supervisory order.

No. 107095 - Caldwell Tanks, Inc., etc., et al., movants, v.
Hon. Daniel J. Stack, Judge for the Third Judicial
Circuit, et al., etc., respondents.

Motion by movants for a supervisory order.

No. 107114 - Arnold Zoglauer et al., movants, v. Hon. Joseph S. Bongiorno, Judge for the Eighteenth Judicial Circuit, et al., respondents.

Motion by movants, pro se, for a supervisory order.

LEAVE TO APPEAL DOCKET

No. 106477 - People State of Illinois, respondent, v. Robert Akers, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, to supplement petition for leave to appeal instanter. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Garman.

No. 106593 - In the Matter of: Estate of Janie B. Struck, etc., respondent, v. James T. Struck, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, to strike certain probate laws and for certain other relief.

No. 106686 - People State of Illinois, petitioner, v. Tavares Hunt, respondent.

Motion by respondent for release of defendant pending appeal.

No. 106742 - Benjamin Hernandez, Independent Adm'r., etc., respondent, v. Alexian Brothers Health System, etc. (Naphtali Kogan, M.D., et al., etc., petitioners).

Motion by respondent to dismiss petition for leave to appeal without prejudice or, in the alternative, stay the proceedings in this Court.

Motion by respondent for an extension of time of fourteen (14) days for filing answer to petition for leave to appeal if the Court denies the motion to dismiss.

No. 106930 - Michael Palmisano, petitioner, v. Kenneth Spitz, etc., respondent.

Verified petition by petitioner, pro se, for change of venue.

No. 107035 - Pat Bizallion, respondent, v. William Dale Carter, petitioner.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, to waive number of copies filing requirement and to proceed in forma pauperis. Motion <u>allowed</u>.

Order entered by Justice Garman.

No. 107063 - Thomas Cullerton, petitioner, v. DuPage County Officers Electoral Board et al., respondents.

Motion by petitioner for expedited schedule for petition for leave to appeal, and decision on petition for leave to appeal, for interim order, and if appropriate, an expedited briefing schedule.

No. 107130 - Marshall Spiegel, petitioner, v. John Piwowarczyk, respondent.

Motion by petitioner, pro se, for an extension of time to file petition for leave to appeal to and including October 1, 2008, or in the alternative, to stay the appeal until 35 days after post judgment motions are resolved by the Appellate Court. Motion denied without prejudice to file a petition for leave to appeal no later than 35 days after any petition for rehearing is disposed of by the appellate court.

Order entered by Justice Burke.

MISCELLANEOUS RECORD

M.R. 19461 - In re: John Joseph Otrompke. Petitioner

Petition for rehearing or review under Supreme Court Rule 708 or Bar Admission Rule 13.

Motion by the Committee on Character and Fitness for the First Judicial District of Illinois for an extension of time for filing response to petitioner's petition for rehearing or review under Supreme Court Rule 708 or Bar Admission Rule 13 to and including September 15, 2008. Motion allowed.

Order entered by Justice Burke.

M.R. 22031 - In re: Gary Steven Tucker. Disciplinary Commission.

Motion by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission to withdraw petition for costs. Motion <u>allowed</u>.

Order entered by Justice Thomas.

M.R. 22285 - In re: Beverly B. Mann. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by Beverly B. Mann, pro se, for a rule to show cause pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 754.

M.R. 22626 - In re: Avalon e'lan Betts-Gaston. Disciplinary Commission.

Petition by the Administrator of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission for a rule to show cause pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 754.